

GEO. E. PAYNTER DEAD.

DEATH OF THIS POPULAR GEN-
TLEMAN AT VIRGINIA HOSPITAL.Appendicitis the Cause of His Death.
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Mr. George E. Paynter, whose critical illness at the Virginia Hospital was intimated in yesterday's Times, died at that institution at ten minutes past 9 o'clock last night, in spite of all that medical skill of the highest order could do to promote his recovery.

Some time ago Mr. Paynter had a severe attack of the grip, which confined him to the house for several days. He recovered fully from this, however, and up to last Wednesday appeared to be in his usual health. On that day he complained of pain, and felt so badly that he did not go to his office.

AN OPERATION NECESSARY.
He grew steadily worse, and on Friday it was decided that he was suffering from an aggravated attack of appendicitis, and that nothing but a surgical operation could possibly save his life. He was at once taken to the Virginia Hospital, and after Friday afternoon Drs. Hunter and Stuart McGuire operated upon him. The physicians found that the disease had made such fearful progress that it was necessary to remove a portion of the intestine.

The dangerous operation was skillfully performed, but it had been put off too long, and the doctors had but little hope that he would ever recover.

Mr. Paynter was a man who endeavored himself to every one with whom he came in contact, and who had not an enemy in the world. A few years ago he married Miss Lyndham, of this city, and she survives him with three children—two boys and a girl.

DEVOTED TO DUTY.
His devotion to duty was a distinguishing trait, and was clearly shown when the lines of the Fire Department were wrecked by the hurricane of a few months ago. He was at that time off on his vacation, but returned immediately to Richmond and worked night and day until the wires were again in working order.

Mr. Paynter was secretary to the Board of Fire Commissioners, and the feeling which that body had for him was well expressed by one of its members yesterday, who said:

"I love him; the Board loves him, and it is to be that he will leave to leave the world, his position is one that will be missed to all. There is not a fireman on the force from Chief Fuller down to the newest recruit, who does not love him, and who will miss him a great deal more than they even think they will."

Mr. Paynter was in the thirty-fourth year of his age, having been born in 1857, and had been employed in the service of the Richmond Fire Alarm Department for more than twenty years. He was a son of the late Mr. M. J. Paynter, who was superintendent of the fire alarm for fifteen years.

The remains of Mr. Paynter were taken in charge by Undertaker J. W. Lamb to the National Cemetery, where he was buried last night, and remained to rest in the vault, 1003 west Main street, and prepared for burial.

The funeral will take place from Holy Trinity church at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning.

THE NEWS OF FULTON.

Personal and Other Notes Gathered in the East End.

The Richmond Chemical Works have almost completed the repairs to the building damaged by fire recently. The roof is on, and the interior only remains to be finished.

Mr. Edward Maynard, of Fulton Hill, left Tuesday on a visit to Huntington, W. Va., by way of Washington. While in the latter place he saw the inauguration of President McKinley.

Mrs. Whit is extremely ill at her home on Denney street, between Sixth and Seventh streets.

A representative of one of the street-car companies met some of the prominent property owners of Fulton Hill recently with a view of running cars along Fulton Hill to the National Cemetery. It is said that if the residents and property owners would subscribe a certain sum the company would run their cars over this route.

The last progressive church party before Lent was held at the residence of Mr. Thomas McLaughlin, 18 North Thirtieth street, on Tuesday night. Quite a number of friends were present and a delightful evening was spent.

Fulton was well represented in Washington at the inauguration. Among those who went were Mr. J. B. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Gayles, Mr. Edgar Donahue, Mrs. James E. Grady, Mrs. Thomas O'Connor, Mr. Jeff. Parrish, Mr. James Lipford and Mr. William Enright. Mrs. Miner, who resides at "Powhatan," just below Fulton, while coming to town the first of last week, had her ankle sprained very badly. She is unable to walk. Her horse took fright at the cars on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad and in attempting to get out of the buggy she met with the accident.

Mrs. Charles Woodson returned on Wednesday from Baltimore and Washington. While in Washington Mr. Woodson saw the President-elect do quite a graceful act. On the arrival of the party a huge bouquet of flowers was presented to Mr. McKinley. He picked two of the prettiest flowers and graciously gave them to the engineer of the locomotive which brought the party to Washington.

Mr. Thomas Bennett, of Virginia, left on Wednesday for Pennsylvania, by way of Washington.

Mr. James Cotton, a well-known citizen, was struck in the mouth by a stone thrown by a negro boy on Wednesday evening. The stone which was quite large, cut his lip and broke two of his front teeth. Dr. B. L. Reams took five stitches in his lip. The accident came near being more serious than it was. Mr. Cotton was holding in his arm his little grandson. The negro was not throwing at Mr. Cotton.

Dr. John Riddle, superintendent of Fort Harrison cemetery, who has been sick for so long, is improving.

The United States Government is making many needed improvements at Fort Harrison Cemetery.

"THE PRISONER OF ZENDA."

The Beautiful Drama to Be Presented Here Next Tuesday.

"The Prisoner of Zenda," a play that has been made famous on account of its strong romantic interest, as well as the elaborate and artistic manner in which it is placed upon the stage and presented by Daniel Frohman's players at the New York Lyceum Theatre, will occupy the boards of the Academy of Music next Tuesday and Wednesday evening and a Wednesday matinee.

The play is a dramatization by Edward Rose, of Anthony Hope's remarkable romance, and was first brought out by Mr. Frohman at the Lyceum, where it held the boards for more than two hundred nights last season, with the most marked success in the history of that house. It was revived in Chicago this season, and has been seen in that city, Cincinnati,

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